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Attached hereto is an Application for Extension of Patent Term for the above-identified Patent along with (5) copies.

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APPLICATION FOR INTERIM EXTENSION OF PATENT TERM (37 C.F.R. § 1.760)

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a third Interim Patent Term Extension for a period of one (1) year as is provided under 35 U.S.C 156(e)(2) and 37 CFR 1.760 from October 27, 2011 until October 27, 2012 to allow for additional time for reviewing and granting applicants' previously filed Application for Patent Term Extension.

BACKGROUND

An initial application for Interim Extension of Patent Term pursuant to 37 CFR 1.790 was filed on July 7, 2009 for US Patent 5,254,556 ('556 Patent). The '556 Patent claims the active ingredient of the INVEGA SUSTENNATM Extended-Release Injectable Suspension which has undergone regulatory review which is paliperidone palmitate. The '556 Patent includes 6 claims, of which Claims 1 and 2 claim the Product, and Claim 3 claims the use of the Product.

The FDA on July 31, 2009 granted a marketing authorization for the INVEGA SUSTENNATM (Paliperidone Palmitate) Extended-Release Injectable Suspension which was under regulatory review under the Federal Food Drug & Cosmetic Act ("FDC Act") §505(b), 21 U.S.C. §355 (new drugs).

An Application for Patent Term Extension in compliance with 37 CFR 1.740 and an Application for Interim Extension of Patent Term under 37 CFR 1.760 were filed August 6, 2009.

The first request for Interim Patent Extension of the Patent Term was granted on or about October 7, 2009 by the very honorable Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, David J. Kappos. The first Interim Patent Extension extended the term of the '556 patent from October 27, 2009 until October 27, 2010.

The second request for Interim Patent Extension of the Patent Term was granted on or about October 1, 2010 by the very honorable Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the

United States Patent and Trademark Office, David J. Kappos. The second Interim Patent Extension extended the term of the '556 patent from October 27, 2010 until October 27, 2011.

The above-identified patent expires on October 27, 2011, more than three months from the date of this application.

FEE STATUS

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Four additional copies of this application are attached, making a total of five copies being submitted (See§ MPEP 2753 (8th Edition).

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